



Docket No.: 062386-0043

PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Wayne D. COMPER : Confirmation Number: 6164  
Application No.: 10/721,351 : Group Art Unit: 1648  
Filed: November 26, 2003 : Examiner: Stacy Brown Chen  
For: METHOD FOR KIDNEY DISEASE TREATMENT BY DRUG INTERVENTION

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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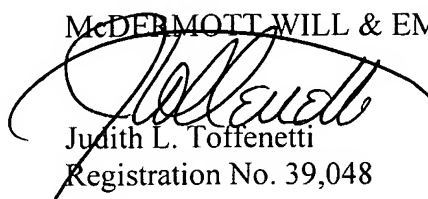
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Notice of Appeal filed October 13, 2006, now due to expire December 13, 2006, be extended for one month(s) and set to expire on January 13, 2007.

Please charge the extension fee of \$60.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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